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Interview Summary

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Date of Interview: 12 August 2008.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference

c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.

If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 23, 26 and 34.

Identification of prior art discussed: Himpens et al. 5,397,331.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☒ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Applicant indicated several proposed amendments to overcome previous 112 rejections as well as further defining the invention to overcome Himpens et al. rejection. Examiner indicated that pending a further search, proposed amendments to claim 23 would define over Himpens et al. 5,397,331.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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/Gregory A. Anderson/